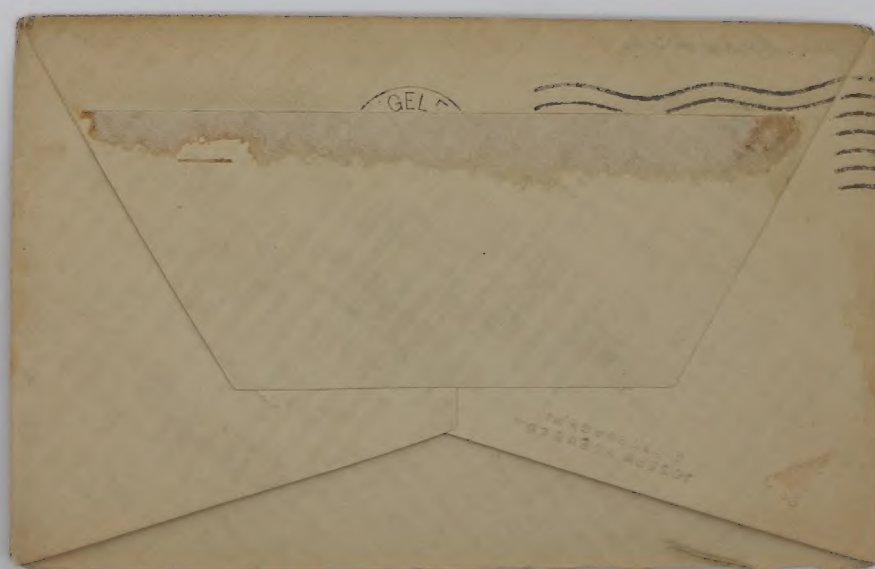


Miss Edith J. Hartzell  
315 West 8<sup>th</sup> Street  
Los Angeles.  
Cal.

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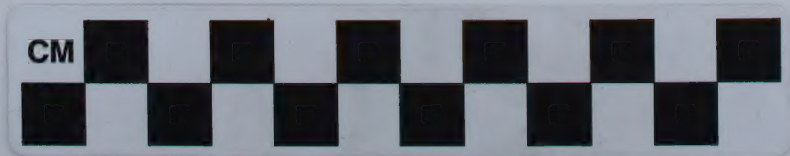
EE. 5830 Alder st. Pittsburg

My dear Miss Hartzell  
I was surprised and very  
glad to get your postal  
card and you ask me  
why I don't answer your  
letter well I never got  
it, it must be in a  
snow drift someplace  
between here & California  
but nevertheless I will expect  
me later on telling me  
what you are doing away  
out there and how  
long are you going to stay





<sup>2</sup> and what is the attractions out there  
or is it your health. are you  
Nursing or did you get married  
and go out on a trip you are  
real mean for not telling me  
just wait. I may go away to  
and not tell you but I will  
send you a Card. at Home.  
well I am still Nursing and  
working with the same Crowd  
we are on Alder street. Miss  
Lindley made us a visit last  
fall for a couple of days she looks  
just the same the girls here are  
all out except myself and I  
have had a very bad Cold  
and did not care to go for a few  
days we have lots of Calls so much  
Typhoid every place. Mr. Beethel  
has resigned and is going to  
Allegheny General Hospital. Miss  
Alice Agnew is assistant to Miss



Giles. I guess they are getting  
along in the same old &  
way I have not seen in  
for three months. I cannot  
think of any more news  
just now but if you  
answer I will try and  
make it longer the next  
time Elizabeth is very  
well and going to school  
I will close with much  
love to you

Very sincerely

Blanche Melton

